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Trenches Having Multiple Depths  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional utility patent application of:

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (17 pages).
- ☒ Informal drawings (3 sheets, Figures 1-6).
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).

- ☒ Assignment of the invention to Advanced Micro Devices, Inc..
- ☒ Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.
- ☒ Check in the amount of \$40.00 for Assignment recordation.
- ☐ Small Entity statement.
- ☒ Request for application not to be published with certification under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☒ Form PTO-1449 with copies of 3 listed reference(s).
- ☒ Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).

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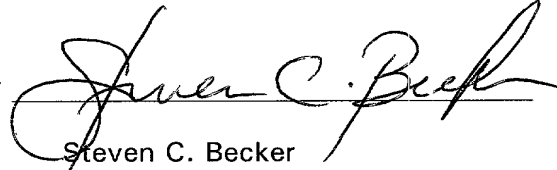
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Phase-Shifting Mask With Trenches Having  
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